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**PATENT**

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

IN RE APPLICATION OF: GARRETT H. DEVLEIG  
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FOR: **CARBON BRAKE WEAR FOR AIRCRAFT**

**Preliminary Amendment**

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Commissioner for Patents  
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Dear Commissioner:

Prior to examination on the merits, please amend the above-identified application as follows: